TOWN OF HENLOPEN ACRES — November 2021 Newsletter



HAPPY HOLIDAYS

The Board of Commissioners and Staff would like to wish you and your family the very best holiday season and a healthy and happy New Year.

We also want to send a specials thanks to any residents who would like to contribute to the Employee Holiday Fund.

Any funds donated will be distributed among our 16 dedicated employees who work diligently each day to preserve and maintain our beautiful Town.

You may drop off or mail contributions to Town Hall by Monday, December 20, with checks made out to: Town of Henlopen Acres.

Mayor Joni Reich

Please help us Update your Contact Information

Included with this Newsletter is a copy of your current listing in the Town Directory. Please help us make sure your address, phone number, and email information is correct by reviewing it and providing any changes or additions to Lisa Michaels at townclerk@henlopenacres.com.

We strive to keep all our residents apprised on all Town meetings, events and issues. Depending on the subject this may be by U.S. Mail or email. It is also important that we are able to contact you in case of emergency.

Thank you for your cooperation!!



Volume 21 Issue 4 MAYOR:

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UPCOMING MEETNGS:

Board of Commissioners Board Meeting

Friday, December 10 at 10am

Quarterly Meeting

Friday, Jan 14, 2022 at 10am

Planning Commission

To be scheduled

Board of Adjustment

As needed

Tree Committee

Tuesday December 6 at 2pm

TOWN HALL HOLIDAY CLOSINGS:

Thurs/Friday Nov 25 & 26 Thanksgiving Holiday

Friday December 24 Christmas Holiday

Friday December 31 New Years Holiday



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Our Deepest Sympathy to the family of:

Connie Boland—45 Pine Reach—11/03/2021

We've had several new additions to the Henlopen Acres staff so we'd like to introduce everyone:

Employee-Department-Hometown-Yrs. with Town

Sonny McClure-Maintenance Supervisor-Marcus Hook, PA 30 Yrs.

Thomas Roth-Town Manager-Red Hill, PA-17 Yrs.

Lee Stewart-Security Supervisor-Wilmington, DE-17 Yrs.

Mike Eisenhauer-PT Security Officer-Live Oak, CA-14 Yrs.

Paul Riggs-FT Security Officer-Wilmington, DE-12 Yrs.

Bob Ribinsky-Project Manager-Long Neck, DE-10 Yrs.

Michael Berg-Maintenance-Blades, DE-10 Yrs.

Richard Kollar-Zoning Officer-Binghamton, NY-9 Yrs.

Lisa Michaels-Town Clerk-New Castle, DE-7 Yrs.

Brad Thomas-PT Security Officer-Baltimore, MD-6 Yrs.

Chad Shaw-PT Security Officer-Pittsburgh, PA-5 Yrs.

Bob Asinelli-PT Security Officer-Nassau County, NY-1 Yr.

Eddie Wilkowski-PT Security Officer-Hudson County, NJ-6 mos.

Tim McMullin-Maintenance-Pennsville, NJ-3 mos.

Don't forget, you now have to dial a "302" area code for all local calls

Ann Grella-PT Security Officer-Westbury, NY-1 month.

Fall/Winter Reminders

Property owners are responsible to clear their lot of fallen leaves and debris. Please remember to separate your debris into <u>TWO</u> piles - leaves in one pile & branches and sticks in another pile.

We CANNOT pick up large branches (over 4 inches wide), tree stumps, piles of dirt, or bamboo. Please make sure yard debris is piled on the easement in front of your home and NOT on the roadway.

Very large amounts of debris/leaves taking more than 15 minutes to pick up will be billed to the property owner.

PLEASE remember to winterize your outdoor shower, as the Town loses thousands of gallons of water each winter from preventable water leaks.

Irrigation Systems

Please note that irrigation systems require a separate well and may not be connected to the Town water supply. A Town building permit is also required.

Irrigation heads may not be placed on the front easement, which extends approximately 20 feet from the street.

Please call Town Hall prior to installing an irrigation system if you have any questions.

Toys for Tots

We are again partnering with the Marine Corps League to provide toys for local children to enjoy this Christmas. Please drop off at Town Hall any NEW & UNWRAPPED toys for kids 10 years and under by **Friday December 10**.

Thank you for your generosity!

Coast Guard Security Zones

Residents with boats at the Marina should be aware that the Coast Guard recently established two Security Zones in waters nearby as part of their efforts to protect President Biden and his family during their visits to the area. The new rules, published in the Federal Register on August 26, 2021, permit restrictions to boat traffic in a half-mile section of the Lewes-Rehoboth Canal near North Shores during a visit. Vessels may be prevented from proceeding altogether or be allowed passage upon inspection by Coast Guard vessels on duty in the Canal at the time. In addition, a Security Zone has also been established for a 1-mile section of the Atlantic Ocean approximately 500 yards off shore from the North Shores beach.

